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CASE NO. 11302/3

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application: )  
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Olle Olsson )  
) Group Art Unit: 3745  
U.S. Serial No.: 10/031,863 )  
) Examiner: Kershteyn, Igor  
Filed: May 6, 2002 )  
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For: OPERATION DEVICE )

**WITHDRAWAL OF APPEAL**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
Attention: Clerk of Board of  
Patent Appeals and Interferences

Dear Sir:

This paper is to inform the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences that Applicant has decided to withdraw his Appeal regarding the above-mentioned patent application. Applicant is filing concurrently with the present Withdrawal of Appeal a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and an Amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

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TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Attached is/are:

- ☒ Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); Withdrawal of Appeal; Postcard Evidencing Receipt.  
☒ Return Receipt Postcard

Fee calculation:

- ☐ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Small Entity.  
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☐ A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(\_\_\_\_).  
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☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,

April 25, 2005  
Date

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